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SUBJECT:ISRAELI AIR FORCE ATTACK ON BORGHOLIYA PALESTINIAN CAMP

1. THE ASSISTANT G-2 LEBANESE ARMY HAS CONFIRMED TO ARMA THAT
FOUR ISRAELI AIRCRAFT ATTACKED THE BORGHOLIYA PALESTINIAN REFUGEE
CAMP, LOCATED SEVEN KILOMETERS NORTH OF TYRE, BETWEEN 1435 AND
1455

LOCAL TIME ON THURSDAY AUGUST 28TH. ACCORDING TO THE ASSISTANT
G-2, ONE WOMAN WAS WOUNDED AND ONE HOUSE WAS DESTROYED INSIDE
THE CAMP AND SOME NEARBY CROPS WERE DAMAGE DURING THE RAID.

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2. RELIABLE SOURCE (0243) REPORTS THAT THURSDAY'S IAF ATTACK

CONSISTED OF FOUR F4'S CONDUCTING BOMBING AND STRAFING RUNS
AND THAT EFFECTS OF RAID WERE CONFINED TO INTERIOR OF CAMP
SOURCE SAYS NINE EXPLOSIONS WERE HEARD. STRIKE WERE FOLLOWED
BY SINGLE RECONNAISSANCE AIRCRAFT AT ABOUT 1505 LOCAL. SOURCE
COMMENTED FURTHER THAT ISRAELI CROSS BORDER FIRING ALONG WESTERN
HALF OF ISRAELI LEBANESE BORDER PICKED UP FOLLOWING THE AIR ATTACK
SOURCE SAID ISRAELI ACTIVITY (HARRASSING AND INTERDICTION
FIRING OF LIGHT AND HEAVY MACHINE GUNS, MORTARS, AND ARTILLERY
AT SUSPECTED PALESTINIAN TARGETS ACROSS THE BORDER) WILL NOT
PROBABLY DRAW SOME REACTION FROM PALESTINIANS, BEGINNING AUGUST
29 TH.
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